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TITLE: PROCESS AND FILTER FOR FILTERING A SLURRY

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I hereby certify that the enclosed Response to Restriction Requirement is being transmitted via facsimile to (703) 305-7718 on May 13, 2002 to the United States Patent and Trade nark of fice.

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## ADDITIONAL RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In response to the Communication mailed March 11, 2002, Applicants select Slurry Species number 3; that is, Ceria, and Flowpath/Cartridge Species number I; that is, Figs. 1&7. Claims 5-8 of elected claims 5-11 read upon the elected Slurry Species and claims 5-11 of elected claims 5-11 read upon the elected Flowpath/Cartridge Species.

A response to the original February 11, 2002 Restriction Requirement was due within 30 days; that is, March 13, 2002. Accordingly, Applicants hereby request a two-month extension of time and further request that the fee for such extension, in the amount of FOUR HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$400) be debited to their Deposit Account No. 501-908.

Applicants further authorize the Examiner to debit to their Deposit Account No. 501-908 any additional fee that is needed.

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Applicants' undersigned attorney hereby invites the Examiner to telephone him at the below-identified number should such a call assist in bringing the subject case to allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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